NORWICH, CONN., SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 1909

FOUND STRANGLED TO DEATH

Body Discovered, Nearly Nude, in Dark Corner of Cellar of Her Home

AGED WIDOW OF TRUMBULL, CONN.

Mrs. Sarah Dibble, 81 Years Old, Brutally Murdered-Lived Alone with Her Son-No Clue to the Latest Mysterious Crime in this State-Body Found by Son When He Came for Dinner.

DEPRAVITY OF NEW YORK

All His Recent Estimates.

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The statement says further of the

r at regular intervals; 37 per cent

drink one glass of beer a week to five glasses of beer a day; 21 per cent. drink wine or spirits; in some groups,"

SAVED BY HER CORSETS.

Woman Physician in Chicago the Tar-

get for a Black Hand Stabber.

Chicago, June 11.-Dr. Jennie A. Beardsley is the latest victim of a Black Hand plot in Chicago. She was stabled twice as she answered a knock

a tihe back door of her home at No. 6508 Peoria street last night. Two detectives were hiding in the house to

guard the woman, but it was a steel-ribbed corset that saved her life. The would-be assassin escaped in the dark-

Dr. Beardsley, who is a practicing

Dr. Beardsley, who is a practicing physician of middle age, received a letter several days ago threatening her life if she did not place \$500 in a designated spot. The letter, which she turned over to the police, was signed.

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with a rude imitation of a black hand with a skull and crossbones.
Dr. Beardsley was about to retire last night when summoned to the back door. Unaccompanied by the officers, she opened the door. She was so stunned by the suddemness of the attack that she did not cry for help until her assailant, after cursing her, had fied.

\$50,000 FIRE AT CLEVELAND.

Conflagration in Warehouse and Fac-

tory District Threatened for a Time.

Cleveland, June 11 .- One fireman was

warehouse and the factory building of the Ohio Sash and Door company on Columbus road fell during a fire which

destroyed the building, with a loss of \$50,000, and for a time threatened to cause a confingration in the warehouse

TRIED TO GET ABOUL HAMID.

aries to Kidnap ex-Sultan.

Steamer Antonio Lopez Still Aground.

New York, June 11.—Principally because of a high running sea, the wreck

ing tugs up to a late hour tonight had not succeeded in floating the Antonio Lopez, ashore off Fire Island, but the vessel was still intact and it is be-

lieved she can be safely floated. Baggage and the major part of the cargo was unloaded and brought to the

Two South Carolina Negroes Lynched.

Branchville, S. C., June 11.—A tele-

Story of Attempt of Turkish Reaction-

and factory district.

been killed in the struggle,

docks here tonight.

SCHOOL CHILDREN

Trumbull, Conn., June 11.—Mrs Sarah Dibble, a widow, \$1 years old, was brually murdered this morning wille alone in her home on the Trumbull road, about two miles north of Beardsley park and the Bridgepart city line.

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Autopsy Performed.

An autopsy performed upon the body late this afternoon showed that her nose was broken, her face badly truised, and death was directly caused by strangulation, the throat showing the marks of fingerprints where the bridge are of the opinion that the victim was criminally assaulted, but will not commit themselves on this point.

Son George's Story.

point. Two Strange Men Seen. Mrs. Dibble lived alone with her son George. The son works in a factory in stridgeport, but stayed at home today to work on the farm. Coming to the house at noon for his dinner, he falled to find his mother or any sign of the meal. He made a hasty search of the house without result. As he was about to return to the field he saw his mother's false teeth in the yard. This aroused his suspicions to a keener joint and he started a closer search of the premises, finally flading the body, nearly nude, in a dark corner of the cellar.

Medical Examiners Arrive.

Two Strange Men Seen.

From neighbors along the Trumbuli read vague descriptions were obtained of two men, strangers, traveling in o-posite directions, thut stopped at vactous places this morning asking for work. There is nothing so far, however, to connect either of these men with the crime, and not the slightest cipe that would point toward anyone else.

Detectives Hard at Work.

After several hours of hard work in all directions, the Bridgeport detectives, late tonight, are inclined to look elsewhere than to a tramp as the mur-

Medical Examiners Arrive. By the time Medical Examiners C. C. No arrest was made tonight and the Gedfrey, for Trumbull, and F. B. detectives would not indicate that any Downs, for Bridgeport, arrived together would be made soon.

NEW YORK POLICE PUZZLED OVER LATEST MURDER MYSTERY Finding of Missing Head of Victim Dr. T. Alexander MacNicoll Reiterates Leads to Identification.

New York, June 11.—After making rapid progress, not only in finding the missing head of the victim, fully identifying him as Samuel Bersin, a Russian painter and decorator, the New York police tonight find themselves with a sordid murder case on their hands, which is puzzling as to motive and contains no direct clue to the murderers. Robbery, jealousy, or revenge the latter two suggested motives involving a woman and a love affair, are being worked upon, but only with the usual police formality of investigating all sides of a crime.

An autopsy performed on the victim's dismembered body late today showed that Bersin was partly asphyxiated before his throat was slashed and his body mutilated in a manner similar to Guldensuppe, the victim of the noted case of some years ago.

TOUCHARD WINS IN FINALS. New York Crack Will Fight Pell for New England Championship.

Hartford, June 11.-Touchard, the crack New York tennis player, this afterneon earned the right to battle tomorrow for the New England championship trophy, by defeating Professor Perry of Williams in the finals of the tou ament singles, 4—6, 6—3, 6—2, 0—6 ;—1. It was an interesting come; both men at periods displaying a lendid form.

Tomorrow afternoon Touchard will endeavor to wrench the title from T.

R. Pel' and some of the onlookers

we been watching his play out the week predict that he good chance of winning. Pell's friends, however, are sanguine that he will again be returned the champion.

MEAT INSPECTION INQUIRY. investigation of an Inspector's Charges to Be Made.

ment of agriculture today promptly accepted the challenge of J. F. Harms, a government meat inspector at St. Louis, Mo., who, in tendering his resignation to Secretary Wilson, makes serious charges against the meat in-spection system at the National stock yards in East St. Louis, and demands yards in East St. Joins, and demands an investigation relative to his allegations. An immediate and thorough investigation into Mr. Harms' charges concerning the Bast St. Louis packing houses was ordered today, and two government inspectors have been ordered there.

MUST BE SOUND TO MARRY. New Washington Law Compels Cupid's Candidates to Undergo Examination.

Seattle, June 11.—The new law providing that applicants for marriage licenses must undergo medical examination went into effect yesterday. The only exception is made in the cases of women over 45 years old.

Ten couples appeared today with

women over 45 years old.

Ten couples appeared today with physicians' certificates. Two couples announced that they would cross into British Columbia to be married. It is the opinion of officials that the new law will make Victoria or Van-couver a new Gretna Green for Amerisans with physical defects.

New England Aero Club Balloon As-

cension. Boston, June 11 .- June 18 has beer set aside by the Aero club of New England for a balloon ascension from Rutland, Vt., the aeronauts hoping to cross a large part of the Green mountains and the Presidential range in New Hampshire, possibly Mt. Washington. The party will consist of Prof. W. H. Pickering of Harvard chservatory, J. B. Benton, a Boston newspaper editor, and Charles J. Glidden who will set as offer. den, who will act as pflot,

\$50,000 Fire in Providence.

Providence, R. I., June 11.—Furni-ture, valuable rugs and building fix-tures to the amount of \$56,000 were damaged by fire today in the house furnishing store of Anthony & Cowell, at the corner of Weybosset and Snow streets. The loss is covered by in-

Leishman Leaving Constantinople. Washington, June 11.—Ambassador Leishman at Constantinople presented his letters of recall to the sublime his letters of recall to the sublime ports yeaterday, according to state de-partment advices, and be will leave Constantinopie on Monday next. He

Cabled Paragraphs.

Constantinopie, June 11.—Nine Mos-lems and six non-Moslems were hanged at Adana, Asiatic Turkey, yesterday for compileity in the recent massacres of Christians.

St. Petersburg, June 11.—Advices re-ectived here from the far east say that Japan has made Wesan, on the east coast of Korea, a free port. The ex-pectation is to divert trade from Viadivostok, where the free entry of merchandise has been abolished.

Casablanca, Morocco, June 11.—The soldiers of the foreign legion of the French army, whose desertion last year resulted in a controversy between France and Germany, were today sentenced by courtmartial to terms of imprisonment varying from five to ten years.

Berlin, June 11.—The ministry of marine announced today that the declaration appearing in certain English newspapers that the German government supported the desire of the navy league for the quicker construction of the fleet, was wholly without foundation. The league is an independent organization, it was explained, and pursued its activities from its own initiative, for which the government initiative, for which the government was not responsible.

POLICING THE CITY

DURING THE CELEBRATION. Chief Murphy Says That It Will Be Well Taken Care Of, but Plans Have Not Yet Been Given Out.

The policing of the city during the The policing of the city during the coming celebration will be a big job, but Chief Murphy promises that it will be well taken care of. It was reported recently in a New London paper that a number of the New London force had been asked to assist the locals during that time, but Chief Murphy states that there has not been any such request made to his knowledge. The plans have not been fully made, he said, for the celebration, but there need be no fear that the city will be

plans have not been fully made, he said, for the celebration, but there need be no fear that the city will be well looked after.

It is probable, he added, that Norwich will be visited by many crooks previous to and during the celebration and it will be the endeavor of the demartment to look well after all suspictious characters and give them the run before they do a job and skip the town.

Contribution of \$5.

The Rose of New England Woman's eague at their regular meeting Friday evening voted to appropriate \$5 to aid the entertainment for the 350th anniversary celebration and also to open their rooms at 56 Union street for a rest station. Light refreshments will be served. Clara A. Burr is the presi-dent and Harrist A. Wood the secre-tary of the organization.

New York June 11.—In a statement issued tonight Dr. T. Alexander Mac-Nicoll of this city reiterates over his signature all his recent estimates of the depravity of school children in New York. As originally reported, his paper, which was rend at Atlantic City before the American Medical society for the study of alcohol and other narcotics, created much indignation and brought forth many denials here. But Dr. MacNicoll says tonight that his conclusions were drawn after studying Joint Hibernian Committee. The joint committee from Division No. 1 and Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, held a meeting Friday night at Attorney Edward T. Burke's office to discuss celebration plans. No decision was arrived at and another meeting will be held.

Drilling for Parade. conclusions were drawn after studying 30,060 children of all ages. He did not wish them to have publicity he Drilling for Parade.

The Tierney cadets were out for a drill Friday night in Union square, doing good work under the command of Capt. Morris Connell, who was in charge, as Drillmaster John Crawford was out of town. Lewis A. Andrews and Daniel Foley assisted, and another drill was set for Tuesday night, after which they will be in good shape for their regular meeting on Sunday. The cadets are getting ready for the anniversary parade.

Room for Recorters. not wish them to have publicity he adds, but since they have attained it he feels that they should he set forth as he would have them.

His studies, he says, "reveal conditions existing in some sections of our great American metropolis that parallel the historic depravity of ancient Sodom; conditions with a growing disregard for legal restraint that are capable of an extension that would endeaser the integrity of our municipal

Room for Reporters. The use of the room in the Thames bank building where P. I. Royce's office was located has been tendered to the publicity committee for the use of visiting newspaper men who will be in the city during the celebration. It was to it was to it was to it. "Firty-eight per cent. drink some form of alsohol beverage occasionally is expected that there will be a number because of the visit of President. Taft and many other notables, and they will be given all necessary material to facilitate their work as well he concludes, "the percentage of occa-sional and regular drinkers runs as high as 79; of those attending schools 46 per cent. are backward in their studies." as have a messenger boy at their dis-

TWO HISTORIC CANES PRESENTED TO SEDGWICK POST. These With Handsome Flag Received with Appreciation.

The presentation of two caues with istorical interest attached and a new United States flag marked the meeting of Sedgwick post, No. 1, G. A. R., Friday night, at the Buckingham Memorial, and all were received with appreciation, which is to be expressed in letters which Adjutant Henry Hovey was directed to send the denors. vey was directed to send the donors One cane was an oak stick which was given by Deacon George R. San-ders of the Mohegan church, where the post attended a special memorial service this year the Sunday before Memorial Sunday.

The other cane was of teak wood with ivory handle and was more than 100 years old. It once belonged to John Browne of Plainfield and was presented to the post by his grands Fhomas B. Browne of Cliff street. a brief sketch accompanying the cane, Mr. Browne gives the information that his grandfather was born February 22, 1755, and died at the age of 80, June 22, 1835. He stood 6 feet 2 in his stocking feet. He was in Boston at the age of 19 when the tea was thrown overheard and he was in the thrown overboard, and he was in the Groton fort, a volunteer, at the of 57 years, for the war of 1812. aged patriot and his wife are both hurled in Green Hollow cemetery, Plainfield.

Commander Vine S. Stetson presented the post a fine United States flag, 8x12 bunting for use upon all suitable occasions. It will take the place of the flag now used daily upon the past flagstoff post flagstaff.
The post voted to have a circle of

The post voted to have a circle or electric lights placed around the sign on the Memorial for the celebration, and also to hold open house with light refreshments for all visiting comrades and their connections.

Free Empoyment Bureaus.

The work done in the five tree public employment bureaus of the state for the month of May shows an increase in the number of applicants for whom situations were secured and a larger number furnished with help.

The work of the human in Natural N. Kelley, Denmis Donovan, John Folicy Peter Ceccarelli, Marris Golrberg, J. H. Leahy, James Mahoney, James Kirby, W. Avery et al., Antone Gawrych.

Wednesday—State vs. Joseph Saitz. London, June 11.—A local news agency publishes a despatch from Constantinople today saying that an unsuccessful attempt is reported to have been made by the reactionaries to kidnap Abdul Hamid, the deposed sultan of Turkey, from the house where he is residing in Salonica. Several officers, the despatch says, are said to have been killed in the struggle. The work of the bureau in Norwich and the state was as follows:

Norwich—Applications for employment 47, for help 55, situations secured 29

> employment 1,368, for help 1,114, and situations secured 931. To Consider Rose Show.

The total number applying

What the New London County Horticultural society stways makes a big feature of, the annual rose show, is to be considered at the next meeting on Monday evening, according to the postal card notices sent out by Secretary Frank H. Allen. The place suggested is the newly enlarged town hall and the date Wednesday, June 23, Besides the business at the meeting. Mrs. E. M. Rogers is announced to speak upon "Consider the Lilles."

miles from here, states that Quille Simmons and Frank Samuels, arrested there today, charged with the murder of young Hen Smoakes two weeks ago, were lynched this afterneon by a mobil of over \$100. The victims are negroes.

Stranded on Flores Island Honeymoon Trip

PASSENGERS TAKEN OFF BY OTHER VESSELS

CUNARD LINER SLAVONIA

Loss-Cook Tourist Party Overboard,

New York, June 11.—A report reach-ed here this afternoon that the Cunard line steamship Slavonia was stranded southwest of Flores Island and that er passengers have been taken off by Had 110 Cabin Passengers.

The Slavonia left New York June 2 for Naples. Of her passengers, the 110 in the cabins were taken on board the Princess Irene of the North German Lloyd line and the Batavia of the Ham-

Lost at Sea on

DISAPPEARED FROM NORTH GER MAN LLOYD LINER BERLIN.

HOLLAND BENNETT OF BOSTON

Was on Extended Tour Through Europe With His Bride, Who Was Miss Lucetta Upham of Cambridge.

Naples, June 11 -On the arrival her today from Genoa of the North Ger-man Lloyd steamer Berlin it was as-certained that Holland Bennett, ar American who was traveling with his wife, was missing from the vessel, and wife, was missing from the vessel, and the belief prevailed among the passen gers that he either committed suicide or fell overboard and was drowned.

Disappeared Thursday Night. Bennett disappeared Thursday while the steamer was making

THE ATTENTION OF THE LADIES INVITED

The Bulletin hopes that its lady readers have given attention to the domestic pages appearing twice a week-Mondays and Thursdays fashion papers printed in the country. In fact, the fashion pages of The Bulletin are packed full of the best practical matter that is to be procured for young housekeepers and for the general good and healthy conduct of the home as elucidated by the experience of others. In its make-up the tastes and conditions of all are taken into consideration. The home department is deserving of constant attention and will

Those who are reading the autobiographical sketch of Mr. George Bromley are keenly interested in his personal experiences and the facility with which he held various places of responsibility and trust. The story is about half finished, and the second part flags not in lively

It is a good time to subscribe for The Bulletin. It is left at the subscribers door for 12 cents a week. Following is a summary of the matter printed in the past six

days:						1
Bulletin			Telegrop's	Local	General	790.5
Saturday.	June	5	80	149.	1024	1253
Monday,	June	7	107	111	203	421
Tuesday.	June	8	108	118	253	479
Wednesday.	June .	9	118	97	212	437
Thursday.	June	10	110	116	212	438
Friday.	June	11	78	114	205	597
Total.	- 4		601	705	2109	3415
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by the North German Lloyd line and friends in the saloon. A thorough was to the effect that it was feared the Slavonia would prove a total wreck.

Flores Island is one of the Azores the steamer swept the sen, with a

The steerage passengers, numbering 30, were placed on board the Batavia. The Slavonia is a vessel of 6,725 tons, is 510 feet long, of 50 feet beam and 22

Party of Cook Tourists Aboard. New York, June 11.-The list of New York, June 11.—The list of cabin passengers on the Slavonia, as given out by the Cunard line here, contains no addresses, but the first-class passengers are practically all Americans, among them fifteen or twenty in a Cook's fourist party. Among the few whose addresses could be learned tonight, are Prof. and Mrs.

George Griffin Brownell and Miss Brownell of Alabama. Professor

burg-American line, both bound for the run from Genoa to this port, and Naples. The news was required here while his wife was with a number of

Probably Fell Overboard.

The chief of police questioned a num-ber of passengers concerning Mr. Ben-nett today, but none of them was able to give an explanation of his disap-pearance, though several advanced the theory that while leaning against the steamer's rail smoking he may have fallen overboard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett had taken pas-

250th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION Founding of Norwich, July 5th and 6th

CRIMINAL COMMON PLEAS. Prosecutor Here and Assigns Cases for

June Term at New London on Tues-At the office of the clerk of the crim-inal court of common pleas here on Polday, Prosecuting Attorney Whittie-sey of New London met a number of lawyers interested in cases before that

court, and the following were assigned for the June term at New London on next Tuesday and Wednesday: Tuesday—State vs. Joseph Smith, Joseph Myers, Pearl Brown, Nellie Daviz, Mary Edmond, Marion Morse, Viney Nordiby, Mand L. Young, Jo-seph Bush, Adam Savage, S. Haskett,

Charged With Theft.

On Friday Policeman Mathews ar rested Joseph Gamage, charged with stealing three rings from his boarding house in Greeneville, kept by Mrs. Hyde, in Sixth street. She discov-ered the theft and demanded the rings of Gamage. He returned two, and later she found a third was gone. The police were informed, and Gamage was located on the railroad track about noon and arrested.

Brought Back from Springfield. On Friday Policeman Henderson brought back from Springfield a young man aged 17, who had run away, taking a sum of money belonging to his father. His parents did not want to prosecute him, and after getting a good talking to from Chief Murphy he was allowed to go.

Brownell has been attached to the university of Alabama at Tuscaloosa, since 1898. Another passenger was Miss Mary O. Ware, thought to be from Birmingham, Ala.

Lucetta Averill Upham of Cambridge one of the spring society functions.

Gennett was 27 years old and a member of the law firm of Ferbush & Bennett, with offices in the Exchange burner. ing. He was the son of Joshua Q. Ben-nett, president of the Cambridge Elec-tric Light company, and was a gradu-ate of Harvard, '04, and the Harvard Law school, '05.

Mrs. Bennett Graduate of Radcliffe College. Mrs. Bennett is a Radeliffe college graduate of the class of '67 and is the daughter of Harry T. Upham, city au-

ditor of Cambridge May Bea Victim of Black Hand.

London, June 12.—Telegraphing from Milan, the correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says it is feared that Mr. Beanet has fallen a victim to the Neapolitan Camorra and killed for the safe of his ready cash and jewelry or in revenge for the arrest in Ohio of members of the Black Hand.

The Rev. S. G. Pinnock Compelled to Leave Nigeria. Lagos, British West Africa, June 11.

The Rev. S. G. Pinnock, a mission-ary of the foreign missions board of the South Eaptist convention, has been expelled from the town of Oyo, h Nigeria. The native chief of Oyo or Nigeria. The native chief of Oyo or-dered Mr. Pinnock to leave the town last April, but the missionary refused to obey. He appealed to the British governor of the province, but this official declined to interfere. The chief complains that Mr. Pinneck has defied his orders and refused to recognize his authority.

Mother and Two Children Asphyxiated all and the date Wednesday, June 25.
In a sum of money belonging to his father. His parents did not want to peak upon "Consider the Lilles."

Steamship Arrivals.

It Genoa, May 9: Sannio, from New York.

At Rotterdam, June 11: Ryndam, of the Amaigamated Copper company from New York.

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Condensed Telegrams

Mrs. Harriet C. Werner, who divorce-

Four Companies at Governor's Island ere vaccinated preparatory to their eparture for the Philippines.

Alleged Relatives of M. Chauchard threaten to contest the will of the late proprietor of the Magasins du Louvre. Rear Admiral Aifred T. Mahan ad-iressed the officers of the Naval War officer and army and navy officers at

Mrs. Howard Gould teletified in her suit for separation that she had ex-pended \$162,000 of her husband's mon-

Dynamits in the Cargo tore to pleces the German steamer Ava off the coast of Algiers. The crew escaped after the vessel caught fire

It Was Announced that W. J. Bryan would be a candidate for United States senator in 1910, to succeed Elmer J. Burkett of Nebraska.

Mrs, Amy Sloane Fesburgh began uit for separation against Robert S. cosburgh, who was tried for shooting his sister and acquitted.

The Eighth, Ninth and Thirteenth Les. regiments, Coast Artillery reserve,

It Was Learned that Mayor McClei-lan's \$83,000 bill for expenses and council fees in the recount fight was approved at least a week ago by Pre-siding Justice Patterson of the appel-late division.

Philadelphia Councils ordered the Rapid Transit company to restore the sale of street car tickets at the rate of elicitor to bring suit to determine the

Mrs. George Day, a member of the Church of England, killed her son and farally stabbed herself because he wanted to take part in the Brooklyn church anniversary day parade with the German Reformed Sunday school.

EXCITEMENT IN HONOLULU.

NEWSPAPER OFFICES SEARCHED. Movement on Part of Japanese to Control Sugar Industry. Honolulu, June 11 .- Evidence of what

Honolulu, June II.—Evidence of what local officials say is a concerted movement on the part of the Japanese of Hawaii to control the sugar industry and thus dominate the internal affairs of the islands through their number and power was disclosed today when the office of the Ji Ji, a Japanese newspaper of Honolulu, and the offices of the Japanese Higher Wage association were entered by officers armed with

found indicate that a conspiracy of a widespread nature was to be formed missing man and the commander of widespread nature was to be formed against Japan to wrest control of afsearchlight in a futile effort to find from the white residents and conhim. internal government in their

> SOLID WEEK OF CEREMONIES. Celebration of Opening of Blackwell's Island Bridge Begins Today.

New York, June 11 .- Another of the fallen overboard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett had taken passage on the Berlin, intending to return to the United States.

Member of Boston Law Firm.

Boston, June 11.—Holland Bennett, who was lost off the steamer Berlin, on the States of great bridges which are gradually being built to connect Little Cid Manhattan with the various beroughs which comprise Greater New York, will be formally opened with a week of elaborate ceremonies, beginning tomorrow. The new link is the Oneenshopen or Blackwell's salend. Blackwell's Queensboro or Queensboro or Blackwell's island oridze, a giant cantilever, which stretches across the East river. Eve miles above the old Brooklyn bridge, onnecting Manhttan with Long Is-

of celebration, the bridge will be sky-rocketed, paraded, beflowered wined, dined, memorialized and showered with laudation and compliment by the beauty and chivalry of New York and a dozen Long Island towns. A parade tomorrow will be participated in by marine and water divisions whose marine and water divisions whose combined length, it is expected, will be more than twenty miles.

POPULATION OF FIFTY PERSONS. Maine Hamlet Entirely Destroyed by Forest Fires.

Smwrm Mills, Me., June 11.—The flaming forests of northern Aroostock late today overwhelmed the little vii-Arostock rallroal, seven miles north of Smyrna Mills, and destroyed every

The jorulation, consisting of fifty ersons, was saved from death by the persons, was saved from death by the timely arrival of a special train sent from Houlton. The fire sufferers were brought to Smyrma searly this evening and cared for by the villagers. In all twelve buildings were destroyed, but few of them were of great value, and the financial loss will not exceed \$20,000.

N. Y. C. TRAIN ROBBED. Between Rochester and Utica-Refrigerator Car Looted,

Rochester, N. Y., June 11.—The police here received information tonight that New York Central train No. 21, which left Utica at 10.59 p. m. was robbed between this city and Utica. Rochester, N. Y., June 11.—New York Central officials later said that the robbery of train No. 21 was confined to a refrigerator car.

A quite unisual test has been made of glass, chimneys from the glass works at Baccarat, France. They were designed for safety in coal mines containing much firedamp, and when 10 of them were suddenly plunged in-to water at 50 degrees Fair, after being slowly heated to the holling point of water, not one of them crack-ed.

Wool Schedule, Income Tax

TOGETHER OCCUPIED SENATE'S ATTENTION.

CHARGE OF UNDUE INFLUENCE

Being Brought to Bear Against Income Tax-Motion to Recommit the Wool Schedule Defeated.

Washington, June 11.—Income tax shared with the wool schedule the attention of the senate during today's sitting of that body, and after discussion of an hour or more its further consideration was postponed until June This action was the result of a motion by Senator Aldrich after a charge by Senator Bailey that undue inflicence was being brought to bear sgainst the proposed income fax amendment to the tariff bill. Mr. Aldrich declared that he knew of no ed to congress that it is not desirable to construct a deep waterway from St.

Louis to the Gulf of Mexico.

The United States Government have entered formal protest against China's rallway loan agreement, which favors Germany France and Great Britain.

The House of Commons passed the budget on second reading by a vote of 256 to 269. The nationalists opposed the measure, and a long debate is expected.

Many Personalities.

Late in the day the senate refused by the decisive vote of 59 to 8 to recommit the wool schedule of the committee on finance on motion of Mr. Cummins and thus shally copeluded the consideration of that schedule.

Only the "progressive" republicana supported the motion.

This yete followed a long and arimated discussion of the schedule which was interspersed with many personal.

Determined Fight by La Follette. Openly declaring his opinion that Senator Aldrich had lost the confi-Senator Aldrich had lost the confidence of other republican senators, which a leader should have. Senator La Follette made a determined fight for the adoption of amendments to the wool schedule of the tariff bill which were presented by him yesterday. There were two flozen or more of these proposed modifications and they were it tended to consolidate late one class. Classes I and 2 of the present wool schedule, relating to raw wools and to fix an ad valorem rate of 45 per conf. and to transform the present third class late the second class and provide a rate of 35 per cent. The intention was to substitute ad valorem for mixed specific and ad valorem duties sand to effect a general reduction of duties. Went Down Before the Majority.

Went Down Before the Majority. These amendments were before the erate for two or three hours and were and by Senator Cummins, but notwith-standing the earnest advocacy of these serators they went down before the majority which right along has stood by the finance committee. The vote was 44 against the amendments to 32 for them.

Severe on Chairman Aldrich. It was after this vote had been taken that the Wisconsin senator made his and thus dominate the internal affairs of the islands through their number and power was disclosed today when the office of the Ji Ji, a Japanese newspaper of Honoiuiu, and the offices of the Japanese Higher Wage association were entered by officers armed with search warrants and letters, reports and other documents selzed.

Following the confiscation of the papers an application for a writ of habeas corpus and application for a writ of habeas. Following the confiscation of the papers an application for a writ of makens corpus, entered in behalf of Makino. Negoro and Soga, alleged leaders of the sugar plantation strikers, who were arrested yesterday, was rejected by the court. It was asserted the papers found indicate that a conspiracy of a widespread of the constant of th

he did not fail to point out the fact that the rule had not been always ap-plied. Senator Cummins was also somewhat severe on Chairman Aldrich and de-clared that the senatorial leaders were courting the dissatisfaction of the re-publican party by their course with reference to the duties on wool and

Votes Forced on Two Amendments. Votes Forced on Two Amendments.

Late in the seasion Senator Bacon forced votes on two amendments of his reducing to 30 per cent the duty on wool and woolen goods, but he failed to obtain the support of any of the republican senators, even the "progressives" refusing to follow him to the extend indicated by his amend-

Duty on Cut Diamonds and Precious Stones Increased.

Washington, June 11.—Taking up for consideration the free list, the senate at the night session made considera-ble progress. The duty on cut dia-monds and other precious stones was increased to 15 per cent. ad valorem and placed a duty of five per cent ad valorem on uncut diamends. Pitch and refined petroleum were not dis-cosed of

HANDCUFFED MAN IDENTIFIED. Shackles Were Removed and He Was Allowed to Go.

Waltham, Mass., June 11:-The idennear this city today, was cleared to-night. The man is Patrick Harrigan, 45 years old, a sailor on the steamer Bostonian which arrived yesterday at Boston from Manchester. England. He had been put in irons following trouble with an officer several days ago, and when the steamer landed managed to evade the immigration officials. He was released from the handcuffs and allowed to go.

D. A. R. Members Asked to Display the Flag June 14.

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Washington, June 11.—All members of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution are asked to display the flag from their residences on June 14, Flag day, in a notice issued today by Mrs. Mathew T. Scott, the president general of the society. The notice also requests all members to participate in the observance of Flag day in whatever manner is customary to each locality.

Paid \$10,000 Each for Two American \$50 Gold Pieces, Coinage 1877. New York, June 11.—Two \$50 gold pieces, struck from the United States mint at Philadelphia in 1877, were sold today at the Numismatic club to William H. Woodin, a wealthy collector of this city, for \$10,000 each, the highest price ever paid for an American colu. Hoth were perfect

Belated Racers Heard From. Belated Racers Heard From.

Hamilton, Bermuda, June 11.—The schooner yacht Restless, owned by Dr. Leedon Sharpe, of the Yachtmen's club, Philadelphia, the last but one of the contestants in the race which was started last Saturday from Gravesend bay, New York, for Bermuda, crossed the finish mark off St. David's head at 3.35 p. m. today. The sloop Marchioness, owned by J. P. Crosier of the same club, was sighted this evening. The captain and cross of the Restless are well, but report having a rough passage.